Promotions in Sriganganagar Branch of State Bank of Bikaner and Jaipur

4308. SHRI GANDHI AZAD: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of 12 applications considered on merit including SC/ST out of 47 applications received by State Bank of Bikaner and Jaipur date-wise, zone-wise, branch-wise and name-wise;

(b) the number of employees considered on merit between 1997 to 2001 from Sriganganagar Region/Branches but not transferred indicating SC/ST among award staff;

(c) by when action on remaining will be taken; and

(d) the number of SC/ST out of 875 request transfers made and 4 spouse not working under State/Central Government Department?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL): (a) A Statement indicating 12 applications considered on merit including SC/ST out of 47 applications received date-wise, zone-wise, branch-wise and name-wise is given *(See* below/

(b) The State Bank of Bikaner and Jaipur has reported that total 10 applications were received from Sriganganagar Region/Branches and out of these, two applications belonging to SC/ST considered on merit were transferred: The other 8 applications were not considerd.

(c) There is no system of wait listing the applications received for transfer on compassionate/medical ground. The individual case is decided on its own merit, subject to administrative convenience and availability of suitable vacancy at the requested center.

(d) No separate record for SC/ST or General category is maintained by the Bank as applications are considered as per periodicity of registration.

Statement

List of 12 applications considered on merit including SC/ST out of 47 applications received date-wise, Zone-wise, Branch-wise and Name-wise

SNo.	Date	Zone	Branch From	To	Name
1.	14.02.97	Jaipur	H.O. Jaipur	Chandigarh	Smt. Parminder Kaur
2.	09.05.97	Jaipur	Coll, Jaipur	Bhilwara	Shri V.K. Mathur
3.	01.09.97	Jaipur	Uniara	Dudu	Shri D.K. Haldania
4.	18.07.97	Jaipur	Sawaimadhopur	Jaipur	Shri M.S. Meena
5.	27.01.98	Jaipur	Chaksu	Mandawar	Shri B.S. Rajawat
6.	May, 98	Jaipur	Lat sot	Alwar	Shri R.V. Prasad
7.	Nov., 99	Bikaner	Bhadra	Khetrinagar	Shri Matu Ram
8.	Feb., 2000	Bikaner	Lunkaransar	Bikaner	Smt. Chandra Kanta
9.	May, 2000	Bikaner	Dantaramgarh	Bassi	Ms. Shalini Gupta
10.	June, 2000	Bikaner	Suratgarh	Khetrinagar	Shri Hemraj
11.	May, 2001	Jaipur	Nagar	Jaipur	Shri D.K. Gupta
12.	May, 2001	Jaipur	Tonk	Jaipur	Shri RSD Mathur

Service Tax from Tourism Industry

4309. SHRI CO. POULOSE: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the amount collected from service tax from Tourism Industry during the last three years; year-wise;

(b) whether five per cent service tax on billed amount would be exempted; and

(c) if so, what are the details of amount of losses expected?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN) (a) Among the Services liable to Service Tax there is no separate category called Tourism Industry. The nearest equivalent is the category of Tour Operators. Service Tax paid by the Tour Operators during the last three years was as under:—